Chief Secretary.—

I have no definite information on the point at present.

Mr. Mirle Lakshminaranappa.—

Is it because that armoured cars arrived, that the Police force was not increased after the 30th July?

Chief Secretary.—

The Police force was increased after the 30th July. The figure given is that of the City Police.

Mr. Mirle Lakshminaranappa.—

My question was about the total strength including that from the district.

Chief Secretary.—

It was not understood in that light.

Mr. Mirle Lakshminaranappa.—

Can the answer to my question be given before the close of the day?

Chief Secretary.—

It is not possible.

Mr. Mirle Lakshminaranappa.—

At least can the information be sent to me?

Chief Secretary.—

If it is separately asked for, Government will consider.

MR. JATRA NAIK (Minority interest).—

Q.—54. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) What is the population of Lambani males in the State?

(2) What is the population of Lambani females in the State?

(3) How many Lambani *tandas* are there in the State?

(4) What is the number of houses in each *tanda* ? (Particulars of *tandas* may be given Talukwar.)

(5) What is the number of land-holding families in Lambani community?

(6) What is the number of families not holding lands?

(7) What is the number of families who cultivate lands in the occupancy of others ?

(8) Is the Government aware of any cry-for land in Lambani community ?

(9) If so, will the Government make arrangements for giving lands to Lambanis ?

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—

A.—54. (1) 23,281 according to the census of 1921.

(2) 22,459 according to the census of 1921.

(3), (4), (5), (6) and (7) Government have no information.

(8) No.

(9) Applications are being dealt with as they are received under standing orders relating to the grant of land to depressed classes.

Supplementary Question and Answer.

Mr. Jatra Naik.—

Can the census of the children of school-going age be taken at least in future ?

Chief Secretary.—

I am afraid it is not possible.

MR. JATRA NAIK (Minority Interest).—

Q.—56. (1) What is the population of school-going Lambani boys and girls ?

(2) How many of them are in different classes ?

(3) What is the number of Lambani boys and girls that are now eligible or may become eligible after one or two years to study in high school classes ?

(4) How many of the Lambani students are getting scholarships and how much ?

(5) Are the Government aware of the necessity of establishing Lambani free boarding hostels in each of the districts where Lambani population is large ?

(6) If so, such hostels may be opened and facilities created for Lambani students to study.

(7) What is the population of Lambani children who have not been going to schools, though eligible ?